

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) Detachment 780 at South Dakota State University in Brookings, South Dakota, is the only Air Force ROTC Detachment in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Arnold Air Society Bernie V. Guthrie Squadron is associated with Air Force ROTC Detachment 780 at South Dakota State University; and,

WHEREAS, Arnold Air Society is a social organization that provides for better relations among the corp and also benefits various community and national civic organizations and projects; and,

WHEREAS, Arnold Air Society has national civic projects every year and the Society's national civic project for the year 1988 is the Young Astronaut Program; and,

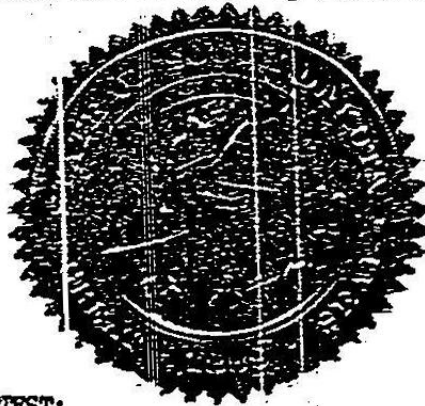
WHEREAS, Bernie V. Guthrie Squadron has organized a combined high school and college dance to raise money for Space Camp held at Cape Canaveral, Florida, and the Squadron is raising funds through community support, bringing more awareness to the Young Astronaut Program; and,

WHEREAS, The Young Astronaut Program has been projected throughout the entire state of South Dakota, bringing much awareness to space exploration;

NOW, WHEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 24, 1988, as

YOUNG ASTRONAUT DAY

in South Dakota, and encourage all citizens to participate by taking an active role in advancing the enthusiasm for space exploration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventh Day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

James H. Hazelton
JAMES H. HAZELTON, SECRETARY OF STATE